

## Principal's Annual Report

It is my proud privilege to put before you the achievements and happenings of this academic year. Our students have been scaling new heights in every field. The academic performance of our students is excellent.

Our BCom Degree passing percentage is 85.71 while the University percentage is only 66.00. Of the 628 students who appeared for the examinations 513 were declared successful. Bhavesh Agrawal topped the class.

The BMS Degree passing percentage is 56.25. Usman Shaikh topped the class. The BAF Degree passing percentage is 93.55. Das Kakoli topped the class. The BBI Degree passing percentage is 63.27. Ujiwala Nikam topped the class. The BFM Degree passing percentage is 69. Ajay Agarwal topped the class. The BMM Degree passing percentage is 73.08. Pooja Patel and Kanhaiya Dalmia topped the class. The BSc (IT) Degree passing percentage is 60.00. Krunal Patel topped the class. The MCom-II (Accountancy) passing percentage is 93.75 and Mamata Darji topped the class. The MCom (Management) passing percentage is 94.87 and Tanvi Dhabalia topped the class. The HSC college result this year is 94.22 percent. Gandhi Tanmay stood first this year.

Our students not only excel in academics but also in the cultural field and sports. We promote all round development of students by encouraging them to take part in curricular and extra-curricular activities. Our students participated and bagged several prizes at the various intercollegiate competitions conducted by the University and the city colleges.

The Dalmia Lions Utsav has been setting benchmarks every year. This year we had 100 colleges all over Mumbai participating in the two days fiesta which had around 2520 students participating in 46 different events covering literary arts, fine arts, performing arts, gaming, sports, informal, film fest and management. We provide the youth a platform to showcase their talent and creativity. This mega event saw a barrage of celebrities from the media and film world that were judges and special guests motivating the youth to excel.

In the field of sports I am extremely proud to say that Prof. Rajesh Maurya and his entire team are doing a commendable job. The Dalmia Lions Khel Mohatsav 2016-17 was organized on 13th and 14th December 2016. Mr. Uday Pawar, International Badminton Player, was the Chief Guest at the inaugural function of Dalmia Lions Khel Mohatsav. Tournaments for Rink Football, Table Tennis, Volley ball and Carrom were held. This Inter-Collegiate Sports event was organised wherein 58 colleges & 1324 students participated.

The college is proud of the laurels brought by our star performers: Our Student Karan Rana won Silver Medal in Skipping at the District level. Rahul Kotap won Gold & Silver Medals in Wushu at the District & Division level. Prasanna Haryan won the Five Gold Medals & one Silver Medal in - Shikai Martial Art at the District, Division D.S.O.& State level. He also won two Silver Medals in Tang-sudoo at the district & division level. Abhishek Nagarkar won, Bronze Medal at the National Level, Gold Medal at State Level & Two Gold Medals at District Level in Tang-Sudoo. He has won the two Gold Medals in Shikai Martial Art at division level. In Belt Wrestling at District Level he has won two Silver Medals. Our athlete Sawant Dhruvhas won a Silver Medal in Discuss Throw at district level.

Jaju Kartik won a Silver Medal in boxing at the District Level. Amit Yadav, Bafna Jainam, Leha Balkrishna has won medals for the college.



Ravindra Kotian has made us proud, for winning the Silver Medal in table tennis at the International Level Match held in Berlin, Germany. He has participated at the International Level Matches Bulgaria & Czech Open. He has also won 4 Gold and 3 Silver 3 Bronze Medals at various levels. I feel proud to state that Ravindra Kotian has been selected by Indian Railway under Sports Quota.

Our Tennisball Cricket (Boys) Team secured the runner-up position at the Junior Level and 1st Place at the Senior College Level. The sports department with its dedicated team of coaches and instructors yearns to motivate each youngster to do his/her best and strive for the topmost position.

Our NSS team is doing great work and benefitting the society around us. This year our NSS volunteers went for a residential camp to our adopted village—Tandulwadi, wherein they did a commendable job. Our NSS team is doing commendable work with its focus on celebration of World Environment Day, Yoga Day, organizing Blood donation drives, organizing health camps at Osarvira and Tandulwadi, being part of Awareness Drives — Voter Awareness, Road Safety, Dengue awareness, Save the Bird, etc. Our NSS volunteers have taken part in a variety of training programmes — Traffic Training, Waste management, Skill development, etc. They were active participants of the Vice Chancellor's Programme — 'Coffee with VC' held on 20th December 2016.

The Osarvira Community Project undertaken by our college was given an impetus due to the largesse of the Lions Club of Malad-Borivli. The Health Care Camp at the village by the Lions Club of Malad-Borivli to meet the immediate health care needs of the marginalized community in remote rural areas is a commendable initiative. They also donated footwear, Sarees, Towels, blankets, soap, sports kits, wheelchairs and other household items. Furthering the cuase of *Swacch Bharat* the Lions Club of Malad-Borivli inaugurated the construction of two toilet blocks for the Zilla Parishad school (one for Boys and one for girls).

We are proud to state that our college won the Consolation prize at inter-collegiate skit competition—UDAAN – 'A Flight to Extension' organized by the Department of Life Long Learning & Extension (DLLE), University of Mumbai on 24th January, 2017 at KES Shroff College, Kandivali (W). Our skit titled "Hamari Aasha", performed at the UDAAN festival conveyed a strong social message of gender sensitization.

Our NCC Cadets have made us proud always. Total 36 camps were attended by the NCC cadets at Battalion, State and National level. CDT Vikram Singh was selected for National Level Rifle Shooting Competition which was held at Vadodara from 6th June to 10th June 2016. CDT Pradeep Pathare was selected for Thal Sena Camp which held at Nagaland from 20th July to 29th July 2016. CDT Pradeep Pathare was selected for Inter Group State Level Competition which was held at Amravati from 9th August to 18th August 2016.

Our Cultural Association is known for its winning streak. This year college won overall trophies at nine intercollegiate festivals – Aura (Jalan College), Brahmotsav (Thakur Vidya Mandir), Josh (NAEMD), Brouhaha (Sydenham College), Mridand (Reena Mehta College), Mauj (Ghyanshyamdas College), Jalosh (Walia College), Innovaters (Vivek College) and DLU (Dalmia College).

This year we organised two National conferences. One Day National Seminar on 'Innovative Applications of Technology in Libraries' on Friday 23rd September, 2016 and a National Level Seminar in Association with Board Of Studies in Accountancy, University of Mumbai & Internal Quality Assurance Cell was conducted on the topic 'GST- One Nation One Tax' on 28 February 2017.

The theme of this year being 'Keeping Nature in your Future', a number of activities were centered on the theme-Student conference, exhibition by the department of Environment studies, elocution competitions, essay writing competition, the Swachh Dalmia Abhiyaan – all focused on the theme.

This year we had four in-house publications – Proceedings of the conference 'Innovative Applications of Technology in Libraries', Bulletin by the department of BMM called – 'SCOOP – The Bulletin, the E-Newsletter – D'LITA and the newsletter by the IQAC called – Fare Forward. We arrange guest lectures regularly for our students. The Career Guidance Cell arranged for career guidance talks by Raj Computers, Safal Teachers Training Institute, Himalaya, I Media Netwoks, Vodafone, CATKing Educare, Laqshya Institute of Skills Training, MAAC, PAX edutainment Pvt. Ltd. and ITM Group of Institutes. Internships are a regular feature with students.

A Job Fair—DRISHTANT was conducted by the Placement Cell on 3rd March 2017. Almost 500 students were part of the job fair. The event also fetched a lot of media coverage. The participating companies were: Sound Ideas, Atharva Institute of Film & Television, P3 Architectural Services, ICFAI, Flyhigh Aviation, Pax Edutainment Pvt. Ltd., ITM, AIIM, MAAC Animation, IBS Business School, Bankedge and SEED. These two Cells work relentlessly to offer our students jobs following the motto—'earn as you learn'.

Our teaching faculty has been proactive in the field of research. Our teachers have presented and published papers at national and international conferences. Our teachers are invited as resource persons for seminars at various colleges in and out of Mumbai. We have teachers who have authored books on academic topics. With such commendable staff and students our college is definitely set to soar high.

I take this opportunity to thank our management for their constant encouragement and support. With their active support and co-operation I am sure our college will scale new heights of success and glory.

I am thankful to the teaching and administrative staff that constantly helps me in the administration of the college.

Thank you.

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